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# *Calls for Papers and Other Announcements*

Please send your accounting history related announcements for publication within the Accounting Historians Notebook to Jim McKinney at [jmckinney@rhsmith.umd.edu](mailto:jmckinney@rhsmith.umd.edu).



## **The Accounting Historians Notebook**

### **Call for Papers**

The Editors of *The Accounting Historians Notebook* are looking for article submissions suitable for publication within the Notebook. Articles for consideration should be of broad interest to Academy members. Articles might be considered unlikely to be published in established accounting journals because of topic or short length. Possible topics might include: accounting history research techniques, equipment and software useful to history research, and descriptions of accounting archives and large accounting resource collections. Papers should be sent in electronic form (via e-mail if possible) to Jim McKinney at: [jmckinney@rhsmith.umd.edu](mailto:jmckinney@rhsmith.umd.edu) or David Oldroyd at [david.oldroyd@ncl.ac.uk](mailto:david.oldroyd@ncl.ac.uk)



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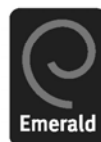
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## 2011 Research Conference

Thursday, June 2 – Saturday, June 4, 2011

### **Modern Perspectives of Accounting History: 125 Years of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants 1887-2012**

The Academy of Accounting Historians is sponsoring an accounting history research conference hosted by the Robert H. Smith School of Business at the University of Maryland. The conference will be held on June 2, 2011 through June 4, 2011, in College Park, MD just outside Washington, DC. The conference will begin with a reception on Thursday evening, June 2, and conclude mid-afternoon on Saturday, June 4, 2011.

Papers are invited that develop contemporary and historical perspectives of accounting. In particular papers with an emphasis on the AICPA, founded in 1887, and its role within the accounting profession are invited. Other subjects will be separately evaluated in the submission process.

The deadline for submissions is **February 15, 2011** but earlier submissions would be appreciated. Papers should include an abstract of approximately 50 words. Papers should be sent by e-mail to Jim McKinney at [jmckinney@rsmith.umd.edu](mailto:jmckinney@rsmith.umd.edu).

**REVIEW BOARD:** Papers will be reviewed for inclusion in the conference by a board of reviewers.

**VENUE:** The conference will be held at the Robert H. Smith School of Business, Van Munching Hall, University of Maryland at College Park, College Park, MD 20742. Discounted lodging will be available at the Marriott run University of Maryland University College Inn & Conference Center, located within a five minute walk to the Smith School. Further details will be provided when available on the Academy website. Accommodations are also available at regular rates at other nearby hotels for which information is available upon request. Infrequent shuttles to the Washington DC Metro system are available.

**Select Conferences at [www.aahhq.org](http://www.aahhq.org) for further details when available and on-line registration.**



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# Before and after Luca Pacioli

Sansepolcro - Perugia - Florence  
17-18-19 June 2011



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## II INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

## Before and after Luca Pacioli

Sansepolcro - Perugia - Florence - 17-18-19 June 2011

**June 16th** Arrival of participants in Città di Castello (PG) and  
accommodation at Hotel Garden

**June 17th** "TEATRO CONVITTO "REGINA ELENA"  
Via San Bartolomeo, n. 1 - Sansepolcro

- 09:00 Welcome to participants by Local Authorities  
and by Prof. Luciano D'Amico, President of the Società  
Italiana di Storia della Ragioneria
- 09:20 Giuseppe Catturi, University of Siena, Italy.  
Ethics and merchant activities at the end of the XV century: Luca  
between Bernardino (franciscan) and Antonino (dominican)
- 10:00 Franco Polcri, Archivist at the Diocesan Archive of  
Sansepolcro, Italy. Meeting with Luca Pacioli and his family
- 10:40 Coffee break
- 11:00 Alan Sangster, University of Middlesex, London, United  
Kingdom. Pacioli, school teacher and university professor
- 11:40 Argante Ciocci, Pacioli Studios, Italy.  
Mathematics among Middle Ages and Renaissance
- 12:20 Oktay Güvemli, University of Marmara, Istanbul, Turkey.  
Accounting in Turkey at the time of Luca Pacioli
- 13:00 Lunch
- 15:00 Basil Yamey, London School of Economics, United Kingdom.  
Pacioli, Manzoni, Oldcastle and Ympyn revisited
- 15:45 Giuseppe Rossi, Commercial Institut "LSalviani" of Città di  
Castello, Italy. Research Itinerary: from Piero della Francesca to  
Luca Pacioli
- 16:15 Coffee break
- 16:15 **ROUND-TABLE: Accounting and history.**  
Conducted by Esteban Hernandez-Esteve.  
President of the AECA Accounting History Commission
- 18:00 Parallel Sessions

**Note Bene:** Two sessions for some papers presentation are foreseen, on the basis of the first, the best.  
Official languages of the Conference are Italian and English. At Sansepolcro and Perugia sessions will be provided simultaneous translation and consecutive at the Florence session

### June 18th

- 09:00 **SANSEPOLCRO TOUR:** Via de' Cipolli, Museo Civico,  
Palazzo delle Laudi, Cathedral, Museo Aboca
- 13:00 Lunch

**AUDITORIUM FONDAZIONE CASSA DI RISPARMIO DI  
PERUGIA.** Corso Vannucci, 47 - Perugia  
Welcome to participants by Municipal Authorities  
of Perugia

- 16:15 Andrea Bellucci, University of Perugia, Italy.  
Luca Pacioli, professor in Perugia
- 17:00 Gianfranco Cavazzoni-Libero Mario Mari,  
University of Perugia, Italy. Pacioli's school in Perugia
- 17:45 Massimo Ciambotti, University of Urbino, Italy. Luca Pacioli,  
double-entry bookkeeping, accounting and society history
- 18:30 Limeng Song, University of Zhongnan, China.  
Accounting in China at the time of Luca Pacioli

### June 19th

- 09:00 **FLORENCE:** Visit the Pacioli's Necrologium preserved at  
the Convent of St Croce
- 11:00 **PALAZZO VECCHIO - Salone dei Duecento - Firenze**  
Enrico Giusti, University of Florence, Italy.  
Mathematics, from Abaco schools to University
- 12:00 Jim McKinney, President of The Academy of Accounting  
Historians, Cleveland, Ohio, USA. Activities of the Academy of  
Accounting Historians
- CLOSING SPEECH**  
Esteban Hernandez-Esteve, Autonomous University  
of Madrid, Spain. Incunabula on mathematics published before  
Pacioli's Summa
- 13:00 Lunch

**PRELIMINARY  
PROGRAM**

# Accounting History

## Call for Research Proposals

### The second *Accounting History* International Emerging Scholars' Colloquium

Vallendar/Koblenz  
Germany

**13-15 July 2011**

Organized in cooperation with  
WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management

This international forum is designed for emerging scholars of all ages and career stages, including doctoral degree students, new faculty and other emerging accounting researchers who have an interest in accounting's past and present and who seek directions and guidance in embarking upon and undertaking specific historical accounting research projects.

The second forum will be hosted by the WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management which is located in Vallendar near Koblenz, in the heart of the Rhine valley and just one hour from both Frankfurt and Cologne airports. The forum will be led by Garry Carnegie of RMIT University and Brian West of the University of Ballarat, Australia who are the editors of *Accounting History*, the journal of the Accounting History Special Interest Group of the Accounting and Finance Association of Australia and New Zealand.

Other senior faculty members participating in the colloquium will comprise Marcia Annisette, York University, Canada, Elena Giovannoni, University of Siena, Italy, Christopher Napier, Royal Holloway, University of London and Utz Schäffer and Thorsten Sellhorn of WHU - Otto Beisheim School of Management, Germany.

Research proposals and brief bibliographical details should be forwarded to Garry Carnegie by **15 April 2011**: [garry.carnegie@rmit.edu.au](mailto:garry.carnegie@rmit.edu.au)

Further information is available at the 2AHIESC website: <http://www.whu.edu/accountinghistory>

Inquiries may be directed to the Colloquium Convenor, Mrs. Evelyn Busch, WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management: [evelyn.busch@whu.edu](mailto:evelyn.busch@whu.edu) Information about the WHU is found at: <http://www.whu.edu> Information about visiting Koblenz is obtainable at: <http://www.koblenz.de/>

## ACCOUNTING HISTORY REVIEW CONFERENCE

Cardiff University, 12th-13th September 2011

### ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS

The 23rd accounting history conference organised at Cardiff Business School will be the launch event for *Accounting History Review*.

In accordance with the focus of the journal a key theme of the conference will be 'Accounting in History' - exploring the scope for greater interdisciplinary engagement between accounting and mainstream historians. The guest speakers are historians whose work has important implications for accounting history research. Plenary addresses will be given by Mary Poovey, New York University, author of *Genres of the Credit Economy: Mediating Value in Eighteenth and Nineteenth-Century Britain* and *A History of the Modern Fact*; and Evan Jones, Bristol University, author of prize winning work on accounting for smuggling in the mid-sixteenth century.



Also with a view to stimulating the development of new research agendas there will be a panel discussion on future research directions in accounting history involving leading commentators on the state of the field over the past two decades. Panellists include Salvador Carmona, Warwick Funnell, Christopher Napier and Stephen Walker.

The conference will also feature parallel sessions. Theoretical, empirical and review papers are welcomed in all areas of accounting history.

Delegates are provided with the opportunity of receiving constructive feedback, in an informal setting, on papers ranging from early working drafts to fully developed manuscripts. The programme allows approximately 35 minutes for presentation and discussion.

The conference, organised by Malcolm Anderson and Stephen Walker, will be held in the prestigious Glamorgan Building of Cardiff University. Sessions will commence on the morning of 12th September 2011 and conclude in the late afternoon of 13th September.

The event will feature a wine reception sponsored by Taylor & Francis on 11th September, conference lunches, teas and a dinner in the Great Hall of Caerphilly Castle, one of the most impressive medieval fortresses in western Europe. A link to local hotel and university accommodation booking can be found on the conference website: [www.cf.ac.uk/carbs/conferences/ahr2011/index.html](http://www.cf.ac.uk/carbs/conferences/ahr2011/index.html).

Those wishing to offer papers to be considered for presentation at the conference should send a one page abstract (including name, affiliation and contact details) formatted in Word as an email attachment by **1st June 2011** to [Carbs-Conference@cf.ac.uk](mailto:Carbs-Conference@cf.ac.uk). Tel +44 (0)29 2087 5731. Applicants will be advised of the conference organisers' decision by 10th June 2011. Part of the costs of this conference are being paid by the ICAEW's charitable trusts. These trusts support educational projects relating to accountancy and economics.



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### *International Accounting Conference*

## **ACCOUNTING RENAISSANCE: Lessons from the Crisis and Looking into the Future. Learning from Histories and Institutions**

**University Ca' Foscari, Venice, Italy, 4-5 November 2011**

### **ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS**

The Conference intends to build on the awareness that the global financial crisis has challenged the accounting and auditing realm from various points of views.

Contributions are invited from authors that wish to investigate from a variety of perspectives (including that of policy-making) and with different methodologies, the relationships between financial crisis and accounting and auditing from the point of view of specific national or local contexts, as well as from a global standpoint, addressing also the ways forward for the accounting domain in a complex world where corporate information of financial and non-financial nature will play a more and more important role.

#### ***Key deadlines for paper submissions:***

Full paper submissions:	05 July 2011
Notification of acceptance:	31 July 2011
Submission of the definitive version:	10 October 2011

Papers should be submitted through the Conference website.

Co-chairmen of the Scientific Committee:

Prof. Luciano Olivotto ([olivotto@unive.it](mailto:olivotto@unive.it)) & Prof. Stefano Zambon ([stefano.zambon@unife.it](mailto:stefano.zambon@unife.it))

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Newcastle University Business School is delighted to be hosting the 2012 World Congress of Accounting Historians which will take place in the university campus in the heart of the city centre. Newcastle is conveniently located 3 hours from London by train and connected to all international routes via its international airport. The region is rich in historical interest including Hadrian's Wall.

The purpose of the Congress is to act as a forum, bringing together scholars from around the world to debate thought provoking research. It is intended to be a celebration of accounting history research in all its diversity. Therefore, all topics are welcomed. The role of accounting in industrial expansion and decline has been designated as a special theme of the Congress in view of its relevance to the region in which it is being held.

**Submission details:**

In order to make the event more inclusive, authors are invited to submit papers either in English or their native language if preferred. In all cases a 600 word abstract written in English is required. The presentations should also be delivered in English and must be based on completed papers.

The abstract should be emailed to [WCAH@ncl.ac.uk](mailto:WCAH@ncl.ac.uk) by **15 January 2012**. Authors will be notified if their paper has been accepted by **15 March 2012**. Offers of acceptance will be made subject to receipt of a completed paper. These should be emailed to [WCAH@ncl.ac.uk](mailto:WCAH@ncl.ac.uk) by **30 April 2012**.

The abstracts will form the basis of acceptance decisions although we reserve the right request further information where there is uncertainty. The abstracts should cover the key areas of aims, method, findings, originality and research limitations. Accepted papers and their accompanying abstracts will be published on the Congress website.

A special section dedicated to a selection of papers presented at the Congress will be published by the British Accounting Review (BAR). Delegates wishing to be considered for this will need to submit their papers in English following BAR guidelines. Such papers will undergo the BAR's normal reviewing procedures.

# Accounting History

## The seventh *Accounting History* International Conference

### “Innovation in accounting thought and practice: Lessons from the past”

Seville, Spain  
25-27 September, 2013

Sponsored by: Department of Business Administration, Universidad Pablo de  
Olavide, de Sevilla, Department of Accounting, Universidad de Sevilla  
and

Accounting History Special Interest Group of the  
Accounting and Finance Association of Australia and New Zealand

Papers will be accepted across the full range of accounting history topics and methodological and theoretical perspectives. The conference will take place in a city whose rich heritage extends from the Phoenicians to the Bourbon Dynasty. Seville was the main European harbour for more than 200 years and the source of significant developments in business and trade which also fostered innovations in accounting practice and accounting thought. Authors are therefore encouraged to address topics on innovation in accounting thought and practice which have had a pivotal or significant impact on industries, firms and academic communities, including:

- Innovations in public sector accounting;
- Innovations within auditing firms;
- Innovations in taxation;
- Innovations in the regulation of the profession and standard setting processes;
- New approaches to studying accounting history;
- Accounting education and innovation;
- The role of academics in the development of innovation;
- Understanding and developing innovations derived from business crises;
- Accounting innovations with an international dimension.

**Submission and Review of Papers:** Papers written in the English language should be submitted electronically no later than **24 March 2013** to [7ahic@rmit.edu.au](mailto:7ahic@rmit.edu.au). All papers will be subject to a double-blind refereeing process and will be published on the Conference Web site, as refereed conference proceedings, unless otherwise advised. A special issue of the journal on the conference theme will be published following the event.

**Notification of Acceptance:** Notification of papers accepted for inclusion in the conference program will be made by **17 May 2013**.

Conference information is available at the Conference Website: [www.7ahic-seville2013.com](http://www.7ahic-seville2013.com)  
Inquiries may be directed to the Conference Convenor, Juan Baños, Universidad Pablo de Olavide, de Sevilla, at the following e-mail address: [jbasan@upo.es](mailto:jbasan@upo.es)

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## **Call for Nominations**

### **The Academy of Accounting Historians**

### **Thomas J. Burns Biographical Research**

### **Award**

The Academy of Accounting Historians annually honors an individual as the recipient of the Thomas J. Burns Biographical Research Award. The Award is given for outstanding biographical research in the discipline of accountancy. The award includes a plaque and a small financial award. Dr. Thomas J. Burns, for whom the award is named, was a long-time professor at Ohio State University and a past president of the Academy of Accounting Historians.

Nominations should be received by **May 15, 2011**. Self-nominations are acceptable. Each nomination should be accompanied by a paragraph or more detailing why the nominee should be a candidate for the award. Nominations should be sent to the chairman of the selection committee and past Academy president, Dale Flesher, at the University of Mississippi ([acd1f@olemiss.edu](mailto:acd1f@olemiss.edu)). The award can be for a single publication or for a lifetime of biographical work.

Past recipients of the Award were:

- 2005 Dale L. Flesher, University of Mississippi
- 2006 Richard G. Vangermeersch, University of Rhode Island
- 2007 Donald E. Tidrick, Northern Illinois University
- 2008 Stephen A. Zeff, Rice University
- 2009 E. Richard Criscione, Morehead State University
- 2010 Laurie A. Barfitt, Western New Mexico University
- 2010 Daniel L. Jensen, Ohio State University

# Call for Nominations

## The Academy of Accounting Historians

### Hourglass Award

The Hourglass Award of the Academy of Accounting Historians is presented annually to an individual who has made a demonstrable and significant contribution to knowledge through research and publication in accounting history.

Nominations for this Award are now invited. The judging panel will echo the tradition of openness and flexibility associated with the Award and will emphasize the importance of contribution as the fundamental criterion. To that end there is no restriction as to who may make a nomination, the country in which the nominee is resident, or the paradigms and methodologies employed in the nominee's work.

Nominator's are asked to supply a 200 word (maximum) statement summarizing the reasons why the nominee should be considered, full contact details of the nominator and nominee, a list of relevant contributions and any other relevant documentation supplied by the nominee who has agreed to be nominated. Nominations should be received by **May 15, 2011**. Nominations and accompanying data should be sent to the chairman of the selection committee and current Academy president, Jim McKinney, at the University of Maryland ([jmckinney@rsmith.umd.edu](mailto:jmckinney@rsmith.umd.edu)).

#### Past recipients of the Award were:

1973	Stephen A. Zeff	1991	Philip D. Bougen
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1988	Richard G. Vangermeersch	2008	Geoffrey H. Burrows
1989	Greg Whittred	2009	Mahmoud A. Ezzamel
1990	Anne Loft	2010	Thomas N. Tyson

## **Call for Nominations**

# **The Academy of Accounting Historians**

## **Margit F. and Hanns-Martin Schoenfeld**

### **Scholarship**

The Academy of Accounting Historians annually awards an individual or individual as the recipient or recipients of the Margit F. and Hanns-Martin Schoenfeld Scholarship. The purpose of the scholarship is to encourage and support research on the history of accounting by doctoral students and recently appointed accounting faculty. The scholarship was initiated by the generous gift of Dr. Hanns Martin Schoenfeld and the late Dr. Margit Schoenfeld in recognition of their belief in the importance of historical scholarship to accounting education and research.

A monetary award is available to support research on a doctoral dissertation, or develop publications proceeding therefrom by a recent PhD graduate. Qualifying research topics should address the history of accounting. Projects of an international nature and those pursued by scholars whose first language is not English are particularly invited. Applicants must be currently enrolled for a PhD by research, or have completed a PhD by research within the last five years.

Applicants should submit a full curriculum vitae and a statement (containing a maximum of 1,000 words) which discusses the doctoral research undertaken on the history of accounting, the stage reached and how the award would prove beneficial to the applicant. A short statement from a supervisor should also be submitted in the case of applicants currently enrolled for a PhD.

Applications should be received by **May 31, 2011**. Applications should be sent to the chairman of the selection committee, Garry Carnegie, at RMIT University ([garry.carnegie@rmit.edu.au](mailto:garry.carnegie@rmit.edu.au)).

Past recipients of the Award were:

- 2008 Sonia Granado Suarez, University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria
- 2009 Delfina Gomes, University of Minho
- 2010 No award presented

## **Call for Nominations**

# **The Academy of Accounting Historians**

## **Life Membership Award**

The Academy of Accounting Historians requests nominations for Life Membership to the Academy. The awarding of a Life Membership in the Academy of Accounting Historians will be based on the following criteria among others:

- retirement from academia or business;
- an international profile and recognition; the individual should have a global profile and not one simply within his/her country;
- the quality, importance and originality of the individual's research program;
- the scope of work, publication record in various academic journals and edited volumes;
- active participation in the academy (in the generic sense and not only the Academy of Accounting Historians), including contributions to the field as journal editor, editorial board member, conferences, etc.;
- work and efforts to publicize and promote history and accounting history, including editing and publication of works, and efforts to bring accounting history's past into the present through the publication of old documents or records or the re-publication of forgotten texts; and
- participation in the training of doctoral students, support and mentorship of junior colleagues including those whose mother tongue is not English, or facilitation of such training and mentoring.

Submit Nominations To:

Joann Noe Cross, Chair

E-Mail: [crossj@uwosh.edu](mailto:crossj@uwosh.edu)

Nominations for this award are now being accepted and must be received by **June 30, 2011**

# **Call for Nominations**

## **The Academy of Accounting Historians**

### **2011 Vangermeersch Manuscript Award**

#### **For the attention of prospective and recent post-graduates in accounting history**

In 1988, The Academy of Accounting Historians established an annual manuscript award to encourage scholars new to the field to pursue historical research. An historical manuscript on any aspect of the field of accounting, broadly defined, is appropriate for submission.

#### **Eligibility and Guidelines for Submissions**

Any accounting faculty member, who holds a full-time appointment and who received his/her masters/doctorate within seven years previous to the date of submission, is eligible to be considered for this award. Coauthored manuscripts will be considered (if at least one coauthor received his/her master/doctorate within the last seven years). Manuscripts must conform to the style requirements of the *Accounting Historians Journal*. Previously published manuscripts or manuscripts under review are not eligible for consideration. Each manuscript should be submitted by **August 1, 2011** in a Word file as an e-mail attachment to the chair of the Vangermeersch Manuscript Award Committee, Professor Richard K. Fleischman ([fleischman@jcu.edu](mailto:fleischman@jcu.edu)). A cover letter, indicating the author's mailing address, the date of the award of the masters/doctoral degree, and a statement that the manuscript has not been published or is not currently being considered for publication should be included in the submission packet.

#### **Review Process and Award**

The Vangermeersch Manuscript Award Committee will evaluate submitted manuscripts on a blind-review basis and select one recipient each year. The author will receive a \$500 (U.S.) stipend and a plaque to recognize his/her outstanding achievement in historical research. In the case of coauthored manuscripts, only the junior faculty member(s) will receive prizes. The winning manuscript will be published in the *Accounting Historians Journal* after an appropriate review. The award will be given annually unless the Manuscript Award Committee determines that no submission warrants recognition as an outstanding manuscript.



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## **The Academy of Accounting Historians**

### **Innovation in Accounting History**

### **Education Award**

The Academy of Accounting Historians requests nominations for the award for innovation in accounting history education. The intent of the award is to encourage innovations in accounting history education. The award (a plaque) will be presented to an individual(s) who has developed and implemented an innovative technique/method for incorporating accounting history topics into undergraduate or graduate accounting courses.

Examples of innovative techniques/methods include, but are not limited to:

- Developing a case, video, audio or
- Course syllabus, etc, that can be used to integrate accounting history topics into accounting courses or
- Presenting a seminar or condensed course on an accounting history topic

To be eligible, the innovation must have been used in a course that the applicant has taught or is currently teaching. Electronic submissions only should be made by **August 31, 2011** to Tom Tyson, Chair of the Committee at the email address shown below and should include the following items (as applicable):

- A description of the innovative technique/method
- Submission of the case, video, audio or other innovation, as appropriate, and teaching notes
- Identification and description of the course or seminar in which the innovation was used
- An explanation of how the innovation has enriched the accounting course being taught

**Submit to:**  
**Tom Tyson (ttyson@sjfc.edu)**  
**Department of Accounting & Finance**  
**St. John Fisher College**

# **Call for Editor**

## **Applicants Sought for Editor(s) of the *Accounting Historians Journal***

**Deadline: September 30, 2011** or until Editor is named

The Academy of Accounting Historians seeks applicants for the position of editor or co-editors of the *Accounting Historians Journal* (AHJ). The official term is unspecified but we desire a minimum commitment of three years. It is anticipated that there might be two Editors, one for the New World and one for the rest of the globe.

### **Scope of AHJ**

AHJ is published semi-annually by the Academy of Accounting Historians. The *Accounting Historians Journal* is the oldest journal in the world devoted entirely to accounting history research and is in its 38th year of continuous semiannual publication. AHJ has published some of the most innovative and formative papers in the field of accounting history. The list of authors and editorial board members are an international who's who of accounting history research. The AHJ is also one of the few journals to have been chosen for inclusion within JSTOR.

### **Key Qualifications and Requirements of Candidates**

Key qualities sought for the position of editor or co-editors:

- must be well respected for their accounting history research,
- should be well respected in the accounting academic community at large,
- should have a breadth of understanding of the accounting history literature and research methodologies,
- ideally, should have editorial experience as an editor, associate editor, or assistant editor of a journal,
- should have served on one or more editorial boards of highly respected journals,
- should have strong editorial skills which can be attested to by others who have experienced them,
- must have high integrity and be open-minded,
- should have strong communication skills and ability to deal directly, but diplomatically, with authors and reviewers, providing constructive feedback about their research,
- should be prompt in assigning reviews, establishing deadlines, communicating with reviewers and authors, and delivering issues to the printers,
- should be willing to attend appropriate accounting and history conferences to locate appropriate material for the AHJ,
- should have own institutional support to allow you to attend conferences to obtain material for the journal (the Academy can provide some limited support, but has historically relied on the institutional support of the editors' institutions),
- ideally, would be familiar with electronic methods of citation, reference manage-

ment software, and media promotion (e.g., ProCite, Twitter, Facebook).

### **Editorial Responsibilities**

Major responsibilities of the future editor or co-editors of *AHJ* include

- manage the submission, review and acceptance of manuscripts submitted to *AHJ*,
- soliciting high-quality manuscripts from potential authors, and assisting these authors in seeing their manuscripts to publication,
- deciding which manuscripts to publish,
- selecting a sufficient pool of competent reviewers to reach conclusions and make decisions on manuscripts in a timely fashion,
- identifying and appointing qualified members to the editorial board,
- providing a clear vision for the direction of the Journal,
- working with the AAH to assure timely publication,
- managing transition to the new editor,
- submitting an annual report to the AAH.

### **Application Package**

The application packet should include:

- A Curriculum Vitae: An up to date vita or resume listing academic experience and accomplishments should be provided.
- A Qualifications Statement: Provide a statement describing how you met the key qualifications and requirements specified previously and any other qualifications you possess that would enhance your candidacy.
- A Vision Statement: Set forth your goals and plans for the content of the *AHJ*. This may include an assessment of the current strengths, weaknesses, or gaps that you plan to address and how you will operationalize your plan.
- Reference: Please provide the names of some respected individuals within the accounting academic community who can comment on your abilities to fulfill the duties of an editor.

### **Search Procedure**

Applicants will be reviewed by the Search Committee immediately after the deadline submission date.

**Application packets (as described above) should be sent electronically to:**

**Jim McKinney**

**President, Academy of Accounting Historians and Chair of Search Committee**

**[jmckinney@rhsmith.umd.edu](mailto:jmckinney@rhsmith.umd.edu)**

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